

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yasunori WATANABE et al.

Application No.: 09/226,107

Filed: January 7, 1999

MAIL STOP RCE

Group Art Unit: 2622

Examiner:

J. Pokrzywa

Docket No.:

102491

For:

MULTI-FUNCTIONAL DEVICE HAVING VERTICALLY ARRANGED SCANNER

AND PRINTER SECTIONS

LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114 RECEIVED

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 OCT 0 9 2003

Technology Center 2600

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued
examination. Applicants further request entry and consideration of the:
submission filed [Date].

attached submission. (Amendment)

The submission filed [Date] is not to be entered.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 147098 in the amount of \times \$770.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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